## **SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 554**

## By Southerland

A RESOLUTION to recognize Chief Tim Ward of the Greeneville Police Department on the occasion of his retirement.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that the members of this General Assembly should honor those citizens who have performed with uncommon devotion and enthusiasm throughout their years of public service; and

WHEREAS, Chief Tim Ward of the Greeneville Police Department is one such estimable person, who has devoted his life to the preservation of law and order and the protection of his fellow citizens; and

WHEREAS, a thirty-three-year veteran of the Greeneville Police Department, Chief Ward has taken his well-deserved retirement; and

WHEREAS, during his distinguished career, he performed his duties with acumen and alacrity, helping his fellow citizens in any way that he could and proving himself time and again to be a tremendous asset to the department and the community; and

WHEREAS, Chief Ward exemplifies the spirit and allegiance to family and community that are characteristic of a true Tennessean; and

WHEREAS, throughout his estimable career, Chief Tim Ward has demonstrated the utmost professionalism, ability, and integrity, winning the unbridled respect and admiration of his colleagues and a grateful public; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRTEENTH
GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF
REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we honor Chief Tim Ward on his exemplary career
with the Greeneville Police Department, commend his many years of distinguished service, and
extend to him our heartfelt wishes for a happy and fulfilling retirement.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.

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